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OPTICAL TRANSMISSION SYSTEM WITH RAMAN AMPLIFIERS COMPRISING A

SUPERVISORY SYSTEM

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Sir:

Alcatel, states that it is the assignee of record of the entire right, title, and interest in the above-identified application by virtue of an assignment recorded in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office at Reel 016287, Frame 0293, and hereby revokes all prior powers of attorney and authorizations of agent given in the above-identified application and appoints all attorneys of SUGHRUE MION, PLLC who are listed under the USPTO Customer Number provided below as its attorneys to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the United States Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith, recognizing that the specific attorneys listed under this USPTO Customer Number may be changed from time to time at the sole discretion of Sughrue Mion, PLLC.

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